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FOR UNDERSECRETARIES SISCO AND MAW FROM HUMMEL

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TAGS: MASS PFOR ET IR US
SUBJECT: IRANIAN F-5 AIRCRAFT AVAILABILITY

REF: TEHRAN 4581

1. TO PUT IT POLITELY, I AM DISMAYED THAT ACCORDING TO REFTEL
EMBASSY TEHRAN HAS NEVER BEEN INSTRUCTED TO EXPLORE WITH GOI
POSSIBILITIES FOR EARLIER AVAILABILITY OF F-5A'S AND F-5B'S
TO ETHIOPIA. AND THIS AFTER MONTHS OF EXPLANATIONS AND
EXHORTATIONS TO WASHINGTON BY THIS EMBASSY. IS ANYBODY LISTENING?

2. YOU WILL KNOW WHETHER DISCUSSION THIS SUBJECT WITH SHAH OF
IRAN'S PARTY NOW VISITING WASHINGTON IS FEASIBLE AND DESIRABLE,
BUT IT IS A POSSIBILITY THAT NATURALLY OCCURS TO ME.
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